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Marlene H. Dortch Secretary Federal Communications Commission Office of the Secretary 445 Twelfth Street, SW Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: Notice of Ex Parte Presentation, WT Docket No. 05-265

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On November 13, 2006, Michael D. Rosenthal and Holly Henderson of Southern Communications Services, Inc. d/b/a SouthernLINC Wireless ("SouthernLINC Wireless") and Christine Gill and David Rines of McDermott Will & Emery, LLP, met with Angela Giancarlo, Legal Advisor to Commissioner McDowell, to discuss the above-referenced proceeding.

We discussed the status of this proceeding and the broad consensus among regional and rural CMRS providers – as exemplified in the letter to Chairman Martin of September 20, 2006, signed by SouthernLINC Wireless and twenty-four other regional and rural carriers – regarding the urgent need for Commission action to ensure the availability of automatic roaming for US consumers. We discussed issues set forth in parties' filings in this docket, as well as SouthernLINC's current situation in the roaming market. We also discussed the availability of timely enforcement remedies for roaming complaints. Finally, we discussed the status of the pending Section 403 Joint Petition requesting a Commission inquiry regarding carrier roaming agreements.

In accordance with the Commission's rules, one copy of this *ex parte* notice is being filed electronically for inclusion in the record of the above-referenced proceeding.

cc:

Angela Giancarlo

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>/ Letter to Chairman Martin from SouthernLINC Wireless, et al., WT Docket No. 05-265, filed Sept. 20, 2006.